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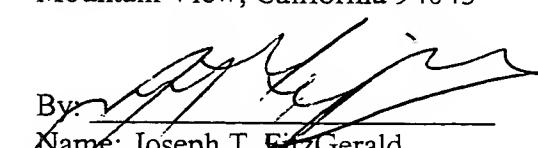
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F 11/29/01	09/997,602	Methods, Functional Data, And Systems To Represent A Storage Environment	Thomas W. Lanzatella, et al
F 2/28/02	10/086,597	Methods And Systems To Backup Data	Thomas W. Lanzatella, et al
F 11/29/01	09/997,612	Methods, Systems, And Apparatus To Interface Withstorage Objects	Thomas W. Lanzatella, et al
F 2/28/02	10/087,230	Systems, Methods And Apparatus For Creating Stable Disk Images	Thomas W. Lanzatella, et al
F 11/29/01	09/997,350	Methods And Systems To Access Storage Objects	Thomas W. Lanzatella, et al
F 12/18/02	10/322,935	Methods And Systems Providing Input/Output Fencing In Shared Storage Environments	Ronald S. Karr, et al
F 8/30/02	10/232,132	Methods And Systems For Storage Architectures	Steven Michael et al
F 6/18/02	10/175,029	Storage Resource Integration Layer Interfaces	Steven Michael Umbehocker, et al
F 7/11/02	10/194,524	Storage Services And Systems	Steven Michael Umbehocker, et al
F 7/30/02	10/208,559	Storage Management Software Bridges	Thomas W. Lanzatella, et al
F 2/28/02	10/087,901	System And Method For Controlling The Creation Of Stable Disk Images	Thomas W. Lanzatella, et al
F 2/28/02	10/086,656	System And Method For Characterizing Logical Storage Devices	Thomas W. Lanzatella, et al
F 8/20/02	10/224,940	System And Method For Network-Free File Replication In A Storage Area Network	Graham Bromley
F 8/16/02	10/222,104	System And Method For Decoding Communications Between Nodes Of A Cluster Server	Abhay N. Phadke